## COLORADO RIVER RECOVERY PROGRAM FY 2002 ANNUAL PROJECT REPORT

RECOVERY PROGRAM PROJECT NUMBER: 1

- I. Project Title: Utah Program Management
- II. Principal Investigators:

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#### III. Project Summary:

The Upper Colorado River Endangered Fishes Recovery Implementation Program supports multiple projects undertaken by the Utah Division of Wildlife Resources. The work is conducted within three Division Regions in Utah (Northeast, Southeast, and Southern Regions) as well as from the Native Aquatic Species Coordinators office in Salt Lake City. Additionally, the Division cooperates and coordinates with other agencies and researchers across state boundaries within the Colorado River Basin. Efficient coordination of field activities, reporting of research and monitoring results in a timely manner, and effective program administration requires statewide participation and oversight.

Develop, prioritize, direct, coordinate, monitor and annually evaluate Colorado River fishes work program activities, contracts, and budgets for the Utah Division of Wildlife Resources.

### IV. Study Schedule:

a. Initial year: 1986b. Final year: ongoing

## V. Relationship to RIPRAP:

# General Recovery Program Support Action Plan VII. Provide Program planning and support.

VI. Accomplishment of FY 2001 Tasks and Deliverables, Discussion of Initial Findings and Shortcomings:

All tasks have been accomplished and deliverables completed on or as close to their deadlines as feasible.

#### TASKS:

- attend Biology Committee meetings
- prepare Federal Aid requests and Recovery Program proposals
- review Recovery Program technical proposals
- develop Recovery Program statements of work, Federal Aid internal work plans, budgets, and contracts for approved work
- prepare annual reports for Recovery Program and Federal Aid
- attend Colorado River researchers meeting
- administer and oversee approved proposals and contracts
- serve as a member of the Colorado River Fishes Recovery Team
- other Biology Committee assignments
- coordinate program activities within the Section, Division, and among other agencies
- review and comment on Recovery Program and agency reports as requested
- other administrative duties as needed

#### **DELIVERABLES:**

- Recovery Program annual reports December 2002
- FWS subpermit report December 2002
- Colorado River Federal Aid request September 2002
- Colorado River Federal Aid performance reports December 2002
- Recovery Program research/program proposals May 2002
- Completion of other tasks as assigned
- VII. Recommendations: None
- VIII. Project Status: On-track and ongoing.
- IX. FY 2002 Budget

A. Funds budgeted: \$85,000

B. Funds expended/obligated: \$85,000

C. Difference: \$ -0-

D. Percent FY 02 work completed: 100%

E. Recovery Program funds spent for publication charges: \$0.00

- X. Status of Data Submission: Not applicable.
- XI. Signed: Matthew Andersen, December 10, 2002.

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